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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ELECTRONICALLY RECONCILING FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS

Enclosed are:

Fourteen (14) pages comprising the specification, claims, and abstract.

Five (5) sheets of drawing.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney.

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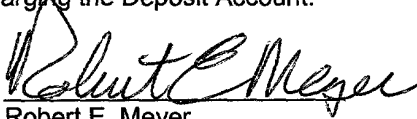
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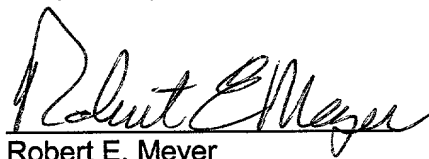
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